

**MINDEN FIELD**  
**05-180 thru 05-182**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.**

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, MARCH 8, 2005**, upon the application of **O'BRIEN ENERGY COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Lower Paluxy A Zone, Reservoir A; the Lower Paluxy B Zone; and the James Lime, Reservoir B**, in the Minden Field, Webster Parish Louisiana.

1. To create one (1) additional drilling and production unit for the Lower Paluxy A Zone, Reservoir A; the Lower Paluxy B Zone; and the James Lime, Reservoir B.
2. To force pool and unitize all separately owned tracts, mineral leases, and other property interests within said units, with allocation of production from each unit well to the tracts within the unit therefore to be on the basis of surface acreage.
3. To designate O'Brien Energy Company as the operator of the proposed units.
4. To designate the O'Brien Energy Company - H C Cox Heirs No. 2 Well as the unit well for the proposed units.
5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Lower Paluxy A Zone, Reservoir A, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 457-G-2, effective April 2, 2002.

The Lower Paluxy B Zone was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 457-K, effective March 16, 1961.

The James Lime, Reservoir B, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 457-A-10, effective July 8, 1986.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.

[www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm](http://www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm).

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

**BY ORDER OF:**

**JAMES H. WELSH**  
**COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, La

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**IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.**